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**Comments:**

I am testifying as an individual on this bill.

When the "van cams" were in operation we had the safest streets ever, with everyone driving the speed limit!

We kill more than 100 people on our highways annually and lawmakers, policy, and safety advocates do everything possible to legislate, enforce, and educate, yet we make only small incremental progress.

This law is overdue. We cannot have the violators of our laws dictate what laws we have. Let's do this in the name of everyone. As Kamehameha said 215 years ago, everyone has the right to be safe on our roads.

We tolerate more than 100 deaths on our roads now. This bill is the closest thing to achieving effective enforcement that there is. Let's use technology to make us safer, healthier and more alive rather than dead.

I applaud those who are willing to support this bill.

Mahalo,  
Chad Taniguchi